

CHAPTER
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SECTION 2

READING COMPREHENSION**Types of Interest Groups****3**

1. What makes an association an interest group?

2. Name at least three reasons why interest groups have been formed.

3. Describe the variety of interest groups in American society by completing the chart below.

Groups Based on Economic Interests		
Type of Group	Description	Examples
Other Interest Groups		
Type of Group	Description	Examples

4. What is a trade association?

5. How has union membership changed over the past several years?

6. How are public-interest groups different from most interest groups?

